

Tell your friends, neighbors and relatives about these programs to help improve the health of mothers, babies, and children in North Carolina.



Medical Assistance Program for pregnant women

Maternity Care Coordinator and Phone Number

**CARE-LINE:** 

1-800-662-7030

TTY: 1-877-452-2514

Monday - Friday, 8 am - 5 pm

N.C. Family Health Resource Line

**1-800-FOR-BABY** 

1-800-367-2229

TTY: 1-800-976-1922

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All phone services available in English and Spanish



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## Have you recently you are pregnant?









Are you wondering how and where you are going to get the health care you need while you are pregnant?

If you begin your prenatal care early, your baby will have a better chance of being healthy.

Even if you have never been eligible for medical assistance before, you might be surprised to find you may qualify.

The Baby Love Program can help you and your baby from the beginning by providing:

- maternity care coordination;
- childbirth education classes;
- counseling and emotional support when you feel stressed;
- medical home visits for you and your baby conducted by qualified staff;
  and
- referrals to other programs like WIC, dental care, medical nutrition therapy and family planning, including the Family Planning Waiver.

## Maternity Care Coordination Program

The Maternity Care Coordination Program (MCCP) is staffed by nurses, social workers and paraprofessionals who help pregnant women and new mothers work on concerns that may affect the baby's health.

The MCCP can provide:

- \* assistance in applying for Medicaid and health insurance coverage for other children;
- referrals to community resources and agencies for housing, school, transportation, child care, etc.;
- referrals to community agencies that provide information on pregnancy and newborn care; and
- resources to address issues that may cause you to feel stressed or worried.

No matter where you receive your prenatal care, you can sign up for the Maternity Care Coordination Program. Providers are located in every county in North Carolina.

To find the nearest Maternity Care Coordination provider, call one of the toll-free numbers listed below.

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If you are pregnant, apply today for the Baby Love Program. Just call your local department of social services, health department, community health center, or one of the toll-free numbers.

## What Every Parent Should Know



You may also be surprised to find that your child, if uninsured, may qualify for low-cost health insurance. Health Check, for children under 21, and N.C. Health Choice, for children ages 6 to 18, can pay for all or part of your child's health care, including dental, vision and hearing care.

For more information, call the toll-free N.C. Family Health Resource Line.

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